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PATENT
450101-02537IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Tetsujiro Kondo et al.

Serial No. : 09/700,140

For : PICTURE PROVIDING APPARATUS AND PROVIDING METHOD THEREFOR, PICTURE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND PROCESSING METHOD THEREFOR, AND MEMORY MEDIUM

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Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	14	Minus	20	x	\$50 (25)	= \$0.00
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 21, 2005 having a three-month
 statutory period for response set to expire on December 21, 2005, please consider the following
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